

AO 440 (Rev. 06/12) Summons in a Civil Action

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

for the

Southern District of Mississippi

STUART C. IRBY COMPANY, LLC

Plaintiff(s)

v.

WINDS EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION, LLC
and FRANKLIN IHEKWOABA

Defendant(s)

Civil Action No. 3:24-cv-538-TSL-MTP

SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION

To: *(Defendant's name and address)* Franklin Ihekwoaba, Registered Agent
Winds Exploration and Production, LLC
12818 Secret Forest CT
Cypress, Texas 77429-8309

A lawsuit has been filed against you.

Within 21 days after service of this summons on you (not counting the day you received it) — or 60 days if you are the United States or a United States agency, or an officer or employee of the United States described in Fed. R. Civ. P. 12 (a)(2) or (3) — you must serve on the plaintiff an answer to the attached complaint or a motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. The answer or motion must be served on the plaintiff or plaintiff's attorney, whose name and address are:

Haley F. Gregory, Esq.
Butler Snow LLP
1020 Highland Colony Parkway
Suite 1400
Ridgeland, MS 39157

If you fail to respond, judgment by default will be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint. You also must file your answer or motion with the court.



ARTHUR JOHNSTON

CLERK OF COURT

Signature of Clerk or Deputy Clerk

Date: 9/10/2024

CAUSE NO. 324-CV-538-TSL-MTP

STUART C. IRBY COMPANY , LLC

Plaintiff,

VS.

FRANKLIN IHEKWOABA , REGISTERED AGENT WINDS
EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION , LLC

Defendant.

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IN THE COURT OF

MADISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN
DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

AFFIDAVIT OF SUBSTITUTE SERVICE

On this day personally appeared Ryan Sciulli who, being by me duly sworn, deposed and said:

"The following came to hand on Dec 19, 2024, 12:56 pm,

ORDER , SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION , COMPLAINT,

and was executed at 12818 SECRET FOREST COURT, CYPRESS, TX 77429 within the county of HARRIS at 10:43 AM on
Sat, Jan 04 2025, by POSTING to the residential front door of

FRANKLIN IHEKWOABA , REGISTERED AGENT WINDS EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION , LLC

in accordance with the Court's Order dated 12/19/2024 authorizing Substituted Service, having first endorsed the date
of delivery on same.

I am a person over eighteen (18) years of age and I am competent to make this affidavit. I am a resident of the State of
Texas. I am familiar with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure as they apply to service of Process. I am not a party to this
suit nor related or affiliated with any herein, and have no interest in the outcome of the suit. I have never been
convicted of a felony or of a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated
herein and they are true and correct."



Ryan Sciulli

Certification Number: PSC-19647

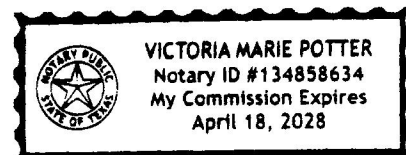
Certification Expiration: 3/31/2025

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public, on this day personally appeared Ryan Sciulli, known to me to be the person whose name is
subscribed to the foregoing document and, being by me first duly sworn, declared that the statements therein
contained are within his or her personal knowledge and are true and correct.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO ME ON

1-4-25


Notary Public, State of Texas



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PROOF OF SERVICE*(This section should not be filed with the court unless required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 4 (l))*

This summons for *(name of individual and title, if any)* Franklin Ihekwoaba
 was received by me on *(date)* Dec. 19, 2024.

☐ I personally served the summons on the individual at *(place)* _____
 on *(date)* _____; or

☐ I left the summons at the individual's residence or usual place of abode with *(name)* _____
 _____, a person of suitable age and discretion who resides there,
 on *(date)* _____, and mailed a copy to the individual's last known address; or

☐ I served the summons on *(name of individual)* _____, who is
 designated by law to accept service of process on behalf of *(name of organization)* _____
 on *(date)* _____; or

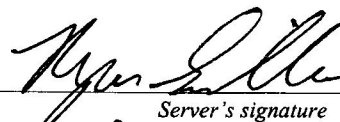
☐ I returned the summons unexecuted because _____; or

☒ Other *(specify)*: I personally posted and emailed a copy of said Documents to Franklin Ihekwoaba's house and e-mail.

My fees are \$ _____ for travel and \$ _____ for services, for a total of \$ 0.00.

I declare under penalty of perjury that this information is true.

Date: 1-4-2025


 Server's signature

Ryan Sculli PSC-19647
 Printed name and title 7-31-25

#8765 Spring Cypress suite L #219
 Server's address

Additional information regarding attempted service, etc:

- I had talked to him personally several times and had lengthy text msgs with Franklin
- He 100% know about the case
- I also talked to his wife, so she knows what's going on also